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Appl. No. : 10/714,189
Applicant : Lilip Lau, Bill Hartigan
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Art Unit : 3762
Examiner : Samuel G. Gilbert
Title : EXPANDABLE CARDIAC HARNESS FOR TREATING
CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE

Docket No. : PARCR 65988
Customer No.: : 24201

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Final Office action mailed August 22, 2005, a response for which is due November 22, 2005. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed concurrently herewith. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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